

AMENDATORY SECTION (Amending Order 05-271, filed 1/3/06, effective 2/3/06)

WAC 232-28-282 Big game and wild turkey auction, raffle, and special incentive permits.

BIG GAME AUCTION PERMITS

The director will select a conservation organization(s) to conduct annual auction(s). Selection of the conservation organizations will be based on criteria adopted by the Washington department of fish and wildlife. Big game and wild turkey auctions shall be conducted consistent with WAC 232-28-292.

SPECIES - ONE WESTSIDE DEER PERMIT

Hunting season dates: (~~(2005 and thereafter,)~~) September 1 - December 31

Hunt Area: Western Washington EXCEPT GMU 485 and those GMUs closed to deer hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Weapon: Any legal weapon.

Bag limit: One additional any buck deer

SPECIES - ONE EASTSIDE DEER PERMIT

Hunting season dates: (~~(2005 and thereafter,)~~) September 1 - December 31

Hunt Area: Eastern Washington EXCEPT those GMUs closed to deer hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Weapon: Any legal weapon.

Bag limit: One additional any buck deer

SPECIES - ONE WESTSIDE ELK PERMIT

~~((Hunting season dates: September 1 - December 31, 2005
Hunt Area: Western Washington EXCEPT those GMUs closed to elk hunting and those GMUs not opened to branch antlered bull elk hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.
Weapon: Any legal weapon.
Bag limit: One additional any bull elk))~~

Hunting season dates: September 1 - December 31(~~(, 2006 and thereafter)~~)

Hunt Area: Western Washington EXCEPT GMU 485, those GMUs closed to elk hunting, and those GMUs not opened to branch antlered bull elk hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Weapon: Any legal weapon.
Bag limit: One additional any bull elk

SPECIES - ONE EASTSIDE ELK PERMIT

Hunting season dates: September 1 - December 31
Hunt Area: Eastern Washington EXCEPT GMU 157, those GMUs closed to elk hunting, and those GMUs not opened to branch antlered bull elk hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.
Weapon: Any legal weapon.
Bag limit: One additional any bull elk

SPECIES - ONE CALIFORNIA BIGHORN SHEEP PERMIT

~~((Hunting season dates: September 1 - October 31, 2005
Hunt Area: Sheep Unit 4 (Selah Butte), Sheep Unit 5 (Umtanum),
Sheep Unit 7 (Cleman Mountain), Sheep Unit 12 (Lincoln Cliffs),
or Sheep Unit 13 (Quilomene).
Weapon: Any legal weapon, EXCEPT must use archery equipment
during archery seasons and muzzleloader equipment during
muzzleloader seasons.
Bag limit: One bighorn ram))~~

Hunting season dates: September 1 - ~~((October 31, 2006 and
thereafter))~~ December 31
Hunt Area: ~~((Sheep Unit 4 (Selah Butte), Sheep Unit 5
(Umtanum), Sheep Unit 7 (Cleman Mountain), or Sheep Unit 13
(Quilomene))~~ Any open sheep unit with two (2) or more permits
during the respective license year, except sheep units in Walla
Walla, Columbia, Garfield, Asotin, or Pend Oreille counties are
not open.
Weapon: Any legal weapon(~~(, EXCEPT must use archery equipment
during archery seasons and muzzleloader equipment during
muzzleloader seasons))~~).
Bag limit: One bighorn ram

SPECIES - ONE MOOSE PERMIT

Hunting season dates: ~~((October 1 - November 30))~~ September 1 -
December 31
Hunt Area: Any open moose unit.
Weapon: Any legal weapon(~~(, EXCEPT must use archery equipment
during archery seasons and muzzleloader equipment during
muzzleloader seasons))~~).
Bag limit: One moose of either sex

SPECIES - ONE MOUNTAIN GOAT PERMIT

Hunting season dates: (~~September 15 — October 31~~) September 1 — December 31

Hunt Area: (~~Goat Unit 3-6 (Naches Pass), Goat Unit 3-9 (Tieton River), Goat Unit 3-10 (Blazed Ridge), or Goat Unit 5-4 (Goat Rocks)~~) Any open goat unit with two (2) or more permits during the respective license year.

Weapon: Any legal weapon(~~(, EXCEPT must use archery equipment during archery seasons and muzzleloader equipment during muzzleloader seasons)~~).

Bag limit: One mountain goat of either sex

RAFFLE PERMITS

Raffle permits will be issued to individuals selected through a Washington department of fish and wildlife drawing or the director may select a conservation organization(s) to conduct annual raffles. Selection of a conservation organization will be based on criteria adopted by the Washington department of fish and wildlife. Big game and wild turkey raffles shall be conducted consistent with WAC 232-28-290.

RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT(S)

WESTSIDE DEER RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT

Bag limit: One additional any buck deer

Open area: Western Washington EXCEPT GMU 485 and those GMUs closed to deer hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Open season: (~~(2005 and thereafter,)~~) September 1 - December 31

Weapon: Any legal weapon.

Number of permits: 1

(~~(Raffle ticket cost: \$5.00 including a 50-cent vendor fee.)~~)

EASTSIDE DEER RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT

Bag limit: One additional any buck deer

Open area: Eastern Washington EXCEPT those GMUs closed to deer hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Open season: (~~(2005 and thereafter,)~~) September 1 - December 31

Weapon: Any legal weapon.

Number of permits: 1

(~~(Raffle ticket cost: \$5.00 including a 50-cent vendor fee.)~~)

WESTSIDE ELK RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT

~~((Bag limit: One additional any bull elk
Open area: Western Washington EXCEPT those GMUs closed to elk
hunting and those GMUs not open to branch antlered bull elk
hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.
Open season: September 1 - December 31, 2005.
Weapon: Any legal weapon.
Number of permits: 1
Raffle ticket cost: \$5.00 including a 50 cent vendor fee.))~~

Bag limit: One additional any bull elk
Open area: Western Washington EXCEPT GMU 485, those GMUs closed
to elk hunting, and those GMUs not open to branch antlered bull
elk hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.
Open season: September 1 - December 31(~~(, 2006 and
thereafter.)~~)
Weapon: Any legal weapon.
Number of permits: 1
~~((Raffle ticket cost: \$5.00 including a 50 cent vendor fee.))~~

EASTSIDE ELK RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT

Bag limit: One additional any bull elk
Open area: Eastern Washington EXCEPT GMU 157, those GMUs closed
to elk hunting, and those GMUs not opened to branch antlered
bull elk hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.
Open season: September 1 - December 31.
Weapon: Any legal weapon.
Number of permits: 1
~~((Raffle ticket cost: \$5.00 including a 50 cent vendor fee.))~~

CALIFORNIA BIGHORN SHEEP RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT

~~((Bag limit: One bighorn ram
Open area: Sheep Unit 4 (Selah Butte), Sheep Unit 5 (Umtanum),
Sheep Unit 7 (Cleman Mountain), Sheep Unit 12 (Lincoln Cliffs),
or Sheep Unit 13 (Quilomene).
Open season: September 1 - October 31, 2005.
Weapon: Hunter may use any legal weapon.
Number of permits: 1
Raffle ticket cost: \$10.00 including a 50 cent vendor fee.))~~

Bag limit: One bighorn ram
Open area: ~~((Sheep Unit 4 (Selah Butte), Sheep Unit 5
(Umtanum), Sheep Unit 7 (Cleman Mountain) or Sheep Unit 13
(Quilomene))~~) Any open bighorn sheep unit with two (2) or more

permits during the respective license year, except sheep units in Walla Walla, Columbia, Garfield, Asotin, or Pend Oreille counties are not open.

Open season: ~~((September 1 - October 31, 2006 and thereafter))~~
September 1 - December 31.

Weapon: ~~((Hunter may use any))~~ Any legal weapon.

Number of permits: 1

~~((Raffle ticket cost: \$10.00 including a 50-cent vendor fee.))~~

MOOSE RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT

Bag limit: One moose of either sex

Open area: Any open moose unit.

Open season: ~~((October 1 - November 30))~~ September 1 - December 31.

Weapon: ~~((Hunter may use any))~~ Any legal weapon.

Number of permits: 1

~~((Raffle ticket cost: \$5.00 including a 50-cent vendor fee.))~~

MOUNTAIN GOAT RAFFLE PERMIT HUNT

Bag limit: One mountain goat of either sex

Open area: ~~((Goat Unit 3-6 (Naches Pass), Goat Unit 3-9 (Tieton River), Goat Unit 3-10 (Blazed Ridge), or Goat Unit 5-4 (Goat Rocks))~~ Any open goat unit with two (2) or more permits during the respective license year.

Open season: ~~((September 15 - October 31))~~ September 1 - December 31.

Weapon: ~~((Hunter may use any))~~ Any legal weapon.

Number of permits: 2

~~((Raffle tickets cost: \$5.00 including a 50-cent vendor fee.))~~

TURKEY RAFFLE PERMIT HUNTS

Bag limit: Three (3) additional wild turkeys, but not to exceed more than one turkey in Western Washington or two turkeys in Eastern Washington.

Open area: Statewide.

Open season: April 1 - May 31.

Weapon: Archery or shotgun only.

Number of permits: 2

~~((Raffle ticket cost: \$5.00 including a 50-cent vendor fee.))~~

DIRECTOR AUTHORIZED BIG GAME AUCTION OR RAFFLE PERMITS

The director shall determine which method of permit opportunity, auction or raffle, taking into consideration impacts to the

wildlife resource, opportunity to the hunting community, other resource management issues, and expected revenue. The director may select a conservation organization(s) to conduct annual auction(s) or raffle(s). Selection of the conservation organization will be based on criteria adopted by the Washington department of fish and wildlife. Big game auctions and raffles shall be conducted consistent with WAC 232-28-292.

ROCKY MOUNTAIN BIGHORN SHEEP AUCTION OR RAFFLE PERMIT

Hunting season dates: (~~(2005 and thereafter,))~~ September 1 - (~~October~~) December 31
Hunt Area: GMUs (~~(166)~~), 169, 172, 181, 186.
Weapon: (~~(Hunter may use any)~~) Any legal weapon.
Bag limit: One bighorn ram

SPECIAL INCENTIVE PERMITS

Hunters will be entered into a drawing for special deer and elk incentive permits for prompt reporting of hunting activity in compliance with WAC 232-28-299.

(a) There will be two (2) any elk special incentive permits for Western Washington.

Open area: Western Washington EXCEPT GMUs 418, 485, 522, and those GMUs closed to elk hunting or closed to branch antlered bull elk hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Open season: September 1 - December 31.

Weapon: Any legal weapon, EXCEPT must use archery equipment during archery seasons and muzzleloader equipment during muzzleloader seasons.

Bag limit: One additional elk.

There will be two (2) any elk special incentive permits for Eastern Washington.

Open area: Eastern Washington EXCEPT GMU 157 and those GMUs closed to elk hunting or closed to branch antlered bull elk hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Open season: September 1 - December 31.

Weapon: Any legal weapon, EXCEPT must use archery equipment during archery seasons and muzzleloader equipment during muzzleloader seasons.

Bag limit: One additional elk.

(b) There will be five (5) statewide any deer special incentive permits, for use in any area open to general or permit

hunting seasons EXCEPT GMUs 157, 418, 485, 522, and those GMUs closed to deer hunting by the fish and wildlife commission.

Open season: September 1 - December 31.

Weapon: Any legal weapon, EXCEPT must use archery equipment during archery seasons and muzzleloader equipment during muzzleloader seasons and any legal weapon at other times if there are no firearm restrictions.

Bag limit: One additional any deer.

Auction, raffle, and special incentive hunt permittee rules

(1) Permittee shall contact the appropriate regional office of the department of fish and wildlife when entering the designated hunt area or entering the region to hunt outside the general season.

(2) The permittee may be accompanied by others; however, only the permittee is allowed to carry a legal weapon or harvest an animal.

(3) Any attempt by members of the permittee's party to herd or drive wildlife is prohibited.

(4) If requested by the department, the permittee is required to direct department officials to the site of the kill.

(5) The permit is valid during the hunting season dates for the year issued.

(6) The permittee will present the head and carcass of the bighorn sheep killed to any department office within 72 hours of date of kill.

(7) The permittee must abide by all local, state, and federal regulations including firearm restriction areas and area closures.

(8) Hunters awarded the special incentive permit will be required to send the appropriate license fee to the department of fish and wildlife headquarters in Olympia. The department will issue the license and transport tag and send it to the special incentive permit winner.